

## BALKAN AFFAIRS VERY PUZZLING

Many Conflicting Reports Come From Allies Who Whipped Turkey.

### WAR SAID TO BE RAGING

Despite Stories of Battle, Efforts of Diplomats Continue.

London, July 1.—The Balkan situation is extremely puzzling. The Serbian government announces almost in the same breath the acceptance of Russian arbitration and the existence of a state of war.

The dispatches which arrived to-night from Belgrade are of the most conflicting character. Some announce that fighting against the Bulgarians has ceased since Monday, others say that the fighting continues and that the Serbians have captured Istip and Krupnik, with heavy losses on both sides.

All these reports must be regarded with suspicion. The only tangible fact seems to be that there has been no formal declaration of war or interruption of the diplomatic relations. Yet the powers continue working actively to avert a war which might before long involve half of Europe.

The ambassador met at London today to discuss the situation, but arrived at no decision. Nothing is known concerning Roussinoff's mission. A Bulgarian official statement has been issued, confirming the capture of Guevgeli and the throwing back of the Greek forces on the Struma River.

Accusations of massacres and rapine, so common during the last Balkan war, are being spread broadcast, especially by the Serbs, although according to official reports, the opposing States have ordered their armies to remain on the defensive. All of the former have been made war criminals and are being organized hospital and medical services.

A dispatch from Rome says that Turkey has notified Bulgaria that unless she abandons her claims to a war indemnity Turkey will join with Serbia and Greece in event of hostilities.

## ELEVEN INDICTED FOR CONSPIRACY

Enid, Okla., July 1.—Charged with conspiracy to defraud the government by influencing the Osage Indian council to accept oil lands that were not acceptable to the department of the interior, eleven men, including officials of the Uncle Sam Oil Company, prominent politicians and attorneys of both Oklahoma, Okla., and Kansas City, were arrested today on indictments returned by the Federal grand jury which concluded its session here a few days ago.

The indicted men all were released on \$2,500 bond each. Those indicted were John Leahy, prominent politician and brother of the late Leahy, both attorneys of Oklahoma; H. H. Tucker, Kansas City, president of the Uncle Sam Oil Company; Albert Wilson, attorney for Uncle Sam Oil Company; Kansas City, John Palmer, Osage, attorney; Wesley M. Dial, former member of the council of the Osage Indian; C. H. Smith, a M. C. member of the Senate; W. A. Matthews and Ed Brown, all of Oklahoma.

### ADDRESSES ON SCRIPTURES DELIVERED AT CONFERENCE

Asheville, N. C., July 1.—The Bible and evangelistic conference at Lake Junaluska, Waynesville, was featured today by many addresses teaching the proper interpretation of the Scriptures. Dr. C. M. Cohen, of Allegheny College, Pa., dealt with "The New Testament in the Light of Recent Discoveries." At tonight's session Dr. Cohen also discussed "The Scriptures in Modern Lands." Dr. George R. Stewart, of Knoxville, Tenn., this afternoon delivered an address on "Forces Fighting Against the Kingdom."

### WOMAN AND ACCOMPANIES ARE HELD FOR MURDER

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Bristol, Va., July 1.—Miss Bessie Wakefield, twenty-four, and James Plew, forty-four, were arrested today, charged with the death of Mrs. Wakefield's husband, William, following the confession by Mrs. Wakefield that she had planned with Plew to get rid of her husband, and that Plew had killed him.

The body of William Wakefield was found last Monday in the woods near Chesapeake. He had been shot twice through the back of the head and stabbed through the heart with his own knife. Mrs. Wakefield had reported to the police that her husband was missing the day previous.

Mrs. Wakefield confessed to-day that Plew came to her home on Sunday, and together they talked over the best way to get rid of Wakefield, who had become jealous of the other man's attentions to Mrs. Wakefield. Plew told Mrs. Wakefield that he had partially disfigured Wakefield, walked him through the woods, and then shot him twice and stabbed him with the knife.

### OFF FOR "REST CRUISE"

Washington, July 1.—President Wilson left Washington today for a three days' "rest cruise" on the Mayflower in lower Chesapeake Bay. His only companion is his physician, Dr. Cary T. Grayson.

The President expects to return to the White House Thursday night. He will go to the Gettysburg battlefield Friday, where he will make a brief address, then proceed to Cornish, N. H., to be there days with his family.

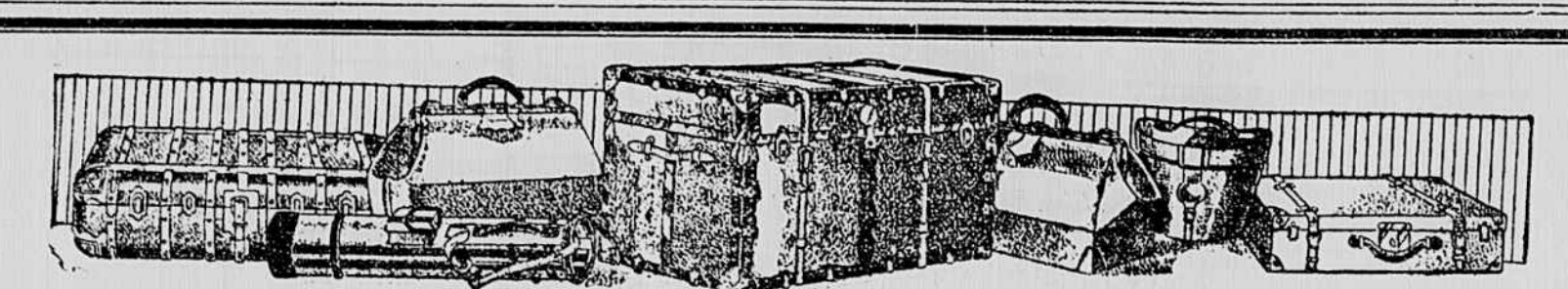
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## STRIKE BALLOTS BEING COUNTED

New York, July 1.—The counting of the strike vote of 100,000 trainmen on forty-five railroads was begun today. Elisha Lee said to-night: "A strike of vast proportions is again threatened on the Eastern railroads, and it is important that the public know what is in the air."

The program will open to-morrow with an address by Colonel Roosevelt on "The American Navy." The former President will speak under the auspices of the National Association of Manufacturers.

Individual members of the party made no statement regarding Mr. Gompers' charges other than Mr. Kirby's declaration regarding Brandenburg.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] New York, July 1.—David Lamar, sometimes called "The Wolf of Wall Street," left for Washington to-night to testify before the Senate committee concerning the charge that some of the names of Congressmen A. Mitchell Palmer, Daniel J. Rigney and others in connection with the Union Pacific case.

Lamar expected to be called to the stand to-morrow after Lewis Cass Lodge, Jr., the Wall Street lawyer, is heard. Mr. Lodge will tell the details of the telephone conversations in which it was alleged that Lamar had been advised to make a clean breast of all he knows about the matter.

Due to this, it is expected that he will reveal the identity of the mysterious person who boasted influence with Speaker Clark, Leader Underwood and others.

Judge Robert S. Lovett, the Harrison representative, who first revealed the existence of the alleged conspiracy, will leave for El Paso to-morrow, but will be represented before the committee by Paul D. Cravath, with whom he has been in conference several times during the last few days.

Neither Mr. Lovett nor Mr. Cravath was willing to discuss the case before leaving for Washington. Attorney Lauterbach and Lamar likewise refused to break the silence which has been maintained since the first disclosures were made.

Georgia Man Now Is Director of Census. Washington, July 1.—William J. Harris, of Atlanta, Ga., today took the oath of office as director of the census in Secretary of Commerce Redfield's office, in the presence of a number of other officials of the department.

The oath was administered by Warren Choate, chief clerk of the Bureau of Corporations.

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## GUNS ARE FIRED ON CEMETERY RIDGE

Manned by Virginians, Who Fought With Them Half Century Ago.

### PLAYING TRICKS ON YANKEES

Notable Reunion of Descendants of Civil War Heroes Is Held.

Gettysburg, Pa., July 1.—Prominent among the numerous reunions to-day was the distinctive reunion, a grand children's reunion, of children whose names have figured in the history of the greatest war the world has ever known.

This reunion was held to-night on the campus of Penn College. In the party were the two grandchildren of General George E. Pickett, George III, and Christian. These boys are about eighteen years old, and have looked with thoughtful eyes upon the scene that has endeared their names to the hearts of Virginians. With the Pickett grandsons were the son and two grandsons of General Longstreet and Mrs. McCall, the daughter of General A. P. Hill.

Dr. E. J. Denson, color bearer for the Forty-eighth Georgia, has created a great deal of fun about the camp the last two days. Dr. Denson comes from Allentown, Ga., and is the exact likeness of President Lincoln. Cheers after his speech were given him by the cheering crowds. Denson every time he makes his appearance dressed in the gray uniform he fought for years ago.

R. A. Hossey, eighty-six years old, of Halltown, a member of the Second Virginia, has marched all over the battlefield as he did fifty years ago. Mr. Hossey said that he felt just as young as he did the last time that he marched in Gettysburg.

Two members of John Morgan's riding party reached camp to-day. They are M. H. Hays, seventy-one years old, and Nathan Deather, aged sixty-five years, both of Richmond. These two men were with Morgan when he rode from Tennessee to Ohio. They were both captured and kept in prison for several months until they were exchanged at the close of the war as prisoners of war at Burton, Ohio.

This morning was spent by a great many of the veterans of both sides going through the National Cemetery. The graves of the unidentified soldiers were the most interesting. One old woman was looking over the cemetery to-day seeking the grave of her husband, who was numbered among the missing after the battle.

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### OBITUARY

#### Funeral of C. L. Coleman.

The body of Curtis L. Coleman, who died in Philadelphia last Saturday, was brought to this city for burial yesterday morning. The Rev. Chaggett Skidmore, pastor of the Second Baptist Church, held a short service over the remains at the grave in Hollywood Cemetery. The following acted as pallbearers: Dr. R. C. Fravel, B. D. Bateman, Robert Augustine, Max Wadley, James D. Patterson, Jr., Ernest Johnson, John Bell Williams and W. H. Hussman.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Amelia, Va., July 1.—Sarah Johnson Wingo, widow of William A. Wingo, of Amelia, who lived for many years in Philadelphia, died at the late residence of her son, Colonel Charles E. Wingo, at the age of ninety-three years, was buried this afternoon at the cemetery here. Mrs. Wingo was the oldest citizen of this section, and had been a woman of great activity up to the last few years.

Her surviving children are Miss Althea W. Wingo and William J. Wingo, of Amelia.

#### Funeral of Mrs. Winchell.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Winchester, Va., July 1.—A cablegram from Bavaria, Germany, announces the death of Major Theodore von Winchell, former resident of Winchester, and native of Germany. He was sixty-one years old, and leaves a widow. He served in the Prussian army, and won the German "Iron Cross" for conspicuous gallantry at the battle of Sedan. He left the army with the rank of major. His wife was Miss Mary Key Bell, of Winchester.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Gordonsville, Va., July 1.—After several years of feebleness, Prof. Fountain B. Davis died at the home of J. H. Payne, about four miles north-east of Gordonsville, Monday, in the eighty-seventh year of his age. Prof. Davis was for many years principal of the Gordonsville High School, was a charter member of Wadell Lodge No. 228, A. F. & A. M., of this place, and was an elder in the Gordonsville Christian Church. He is survived by one daughter, Miss Ashley G. Davis, of Barboursville.

His remains will be taken to "Piedmont" near Barboursville, and interred in the old family burying ground to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

#### Mrs. John M. Carter.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Lynchburg, Va., July 1.—Mrs. John M. Carter, of Spotsylvania County, died at the Mary Washington Hospital here of paralysis, aged sixty-two years. She is survived by her husband, who is very ill. Surviving her are nine children and a large number of grandchildren.

#### Mrs. E. A. Watson.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Lynchburg, Va., July 1.—Mrs. Watson, wife of E. A. Watson, manager of the Lynchburg Country Club, died Monday afternoon at Millboro Springs, where she was ill for a long time. Mrs. Watson was a daughter of the late Dr. H. G. Smith, and she was a native of Amherst County. Her husband and mother, Mrs. S. M. Smith, of Millboro, are the only surviving members of her family.

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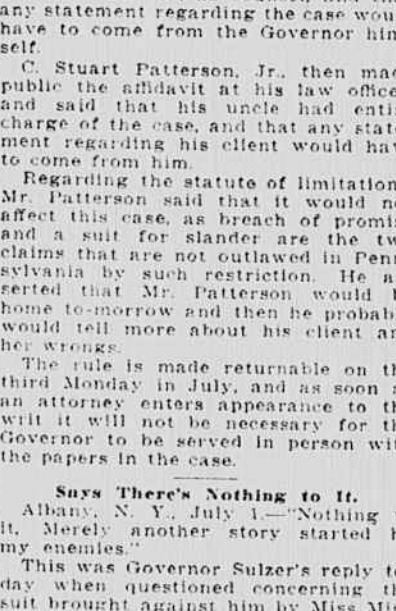
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## DEATHS

TATUM.—Died, at Charlottesville, Va., at 6 o'clock Sunday morning, June 29, of failure, AUGUSTUS RAN- DOLPH TATUM, of Richmond, Va., son of the late Dr. Henry Augustus Tatum and his wife, Amelia Sherwin Tatum.

Funeral at New Brunswick, N. J., and interment there beside his wife and son and infant daughter.

Funeral at Baltimore and San Francisco papers please copy.

SHEPHERD.—Died, at his residence, 1506 Third Avenue, Highland Park, at 7 A. M. July 1, CARROLL WIN- NER, son of Mr. David Christopher Shepherd. Besides a wife, who was Miss Susie Lee Eastwood, of West Point, Va., he leaves two brothers, two sisters, L. K. Shepherd and E. D. Shepherd, both of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Hansford Wilkinson, of New York.

Funeral services at the house TO-DAY, 4:30 P. M. Interment River-view Cemetery.

LANGHORN.—Died, Tuesday, July 1, 1913, at 3 A. M. at his residence, 15 West Federal Street, CORNELIUS W. LANGHORN.

Funeral FRIDAY, 11 A. M. at Ebenezer Baptist Church.

## DESPERATE WOMEN COMMIT SUICIDE

They Kill Themselves Rather Than Submit to Insults of Soldiers.

Mexico City, July 1.—Forty women, mostly of the better class, have committed suicide in Durango since its occupation last week by Mexican rebels after a long siege.

According to a private letter received here to-day, the women, said the letter, became desperate because of their treatment by the victorious rebels.

Consular advisers say that a few Americans were wounded during the fighting, and that one American was killed. The government is endeavoring to send troops for the relief of the city.

Committing Excesses. El Paso, Texas, July 1.—Excess of various kinds, including assaults on girls and married women, are charged against soldiers under General Pancho Villa, rebel commander, who two weeks ago captured Casas Grandes, according to accounts given by Mexican refugees arriving to-day.

Scores of women are reported to have fled to the hills to escape the insults of the victors. The refugees relate that many of the men were bound and compelled to witness the excesses of the soldiers.

Prepare for Defense. El Paso, Texas, July 1.—Rifle pits and trenches were being dug to-day by Mexican Federal soldiers at several points on the western outskirts of Juarez, and barred wire was being stretched as an additional defense from attack by Constitutionalists.

An outpost of 100 Federals has been stationed two miles south of the town. Scouting parties are moving east and west of the border town. General Salazar was in charge of the scouts.

Villa's column is reported camped on the Palomas ranch, fifty miles west, and Ortega's cavalry was seen yesterday by Americans opposite San Elizario, twenty-five miles east of Juarez. Constitutional agents in El Paso assert that the predicted attack on Juarez will occur by the end of this week.

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